



LIV Meeting Minutes

June 6, 2024

The meeting was called to order by Vice-President Phil Pernice. President John Albora and Membership Secretary Brian Larsen are absent.

The Pledge of Allegiance was followed by a moment of silence in memory of D-Day and to honor the memory of those who served.

Coffee and donuts were provided by the Board. Marty Baker-Fingerhut brought home-made Toll House cookies.

Past Events

Tech Session at Dream Car Restoration

On Saturday, May 4 a tech session was held at Dream Car Restoration in conjunction with NCRS from 10:00 AM until 2:00 PM. We were able to see all the cars in various stages of the restoration process. Pizza was served towards the afternoon and much of the drooling was not limited to the great pizza!

Sunrise Senior Living Display

On Saturday, May 18 the club members participated in a display with other car clubs from the area at the residential center. The parking lot was filled and many of the residents of the facility came outside to view the cars and reminisce about the cars from their youth. The facility provided coffee and pastries and a good time seemed to be had by all. There is a chance that the event will be repeated in the Fall. The event was chaired by Nick Fucci.

Future Events

Brunch at Windemere

On Sunday, June 9 we held a Brunch at Windemere at Strong's Marina in Mattituck from 10:30 AM until 2:00 PM with NCRS. Most members met at the Welcome Center on the LIE and caravanned to the Rest Stop by Exit 65 where they joined the rest of the clubs. From there Rich Fingerhut led a caravan through the back roads of Long Island to the Marina. The food was very good, and it was great fun to hang out with everyone.

Bob Spinicchia had reported that Pindar Winery was planning to have a car show that afternoon, however with the rain showers that arrived it is doubtful that the car show happened.

Long Island Ducks Game

The club has reserved a section of the seating areas at the Ducks' stadium for Friday, June 21. The starting time is 6:35 PM. Members can go online to select their seats and pay for their own tickets. It should be a fun time "at the old ball game". See Phil Pernice for any additional information.

Membership Report

Brian L. was absent tonight and had not sent the Birthday list, so it will be announced at our next meeting.

Treasurer's Report

Pete P. reported that the Treasury is in good shape though some of the Balance will go for the Brunch at Windamere. At this point we have \$4,000.00 from paid Sponsors for the BFCU Car Show, and one more Sponsor is pending.

Initial Balance \$ 8,004.58

Ending Balance \$11,051.89

BFCU Car Show

Phil reminded members that we need everyone to show up and work at the show. Sign-up sheets for the various jobs are in the back, so please select a job and sign up. Staff shirts will be ordered based on the members who signed up, so those who don't sign up may not have a shirt.

Dave Lobel designs plaques rather than trophies.

Phil asked for a back-up photographer and someone to share the announcing duties. Sean McSweeney reported that he is bringing a friend who is a photographer who can help with the photographing of the event.

We will be selling club T-Shirts, along with tickets for a 50/50 and to raffle select items.

We want to have bottles of water for those working at the show, but we need a cooler. Lou C. volunteered his cooler, but he will not be able to be at the show. He will bring it to the next meeting so we will have it for the show.

Phil asked if there was anyone who had a generator that we could use for the PA system. Al R. volunteered his. He is unable to be at the show so he will bring it to the next meeting before the show.

Phil reminded the members that the next meeting will be at the BFCU parking lot in Bethpage where the show will be held. The meeting will be at 7:00 PM and we will be going over the staging of the show and where people need to be during the show.

Other Business

Storage Locker

There was recently a fire in the storage facility where the club stores our “stuff.” No one is permitted into the facility, and anyone needing things from their locker must arrange an appointment with the facility and they will bring the items down to you. It seems that most of the damage is either some water damage or dust from the smoke. Recently John A. and Pete P. visited the facility and viewed our items stored there. There was no water damage and just some heavy dust. They are hoping within about two weeks we all will be able to gain access to the facility. The authorities will determine when direct access will be granted. John A. and Pete P. are in touch with the facility.

New Corvette

Phil K. finally got his 2024 silver C-8 Z06 today. He will now spend time learning and mastering all the tech in the car. Congrats, Phil!

50/50

The 50/50 was won by Larry Efrom.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:45 and members were reminded of the change in time and location of our next meeting to stage for the BFCU car show.

Respectfully submitted,

Martha Baker-Fingerhut

General Secretary

